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ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK, WITH NEATNESS AND GREAT DISPATCH, Having added to the machinery one of GEO. P. GORDON'S PATENT FRANKLIN JOB PRESSES, (Capable of making 1500 impressions an hour, and doing much neater work than any press now in use.)

NEW TYPE of all the LATEST STYLES, has also been added to our for JOB OFFICES SOUTH OF THE POTOMAC. CHECKS, NOTES, PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS, PROGRAMMES,

CARDS. BILL HEADS, HANDBILLS, HORSE BILLS, LETTER HEADS, INVITATIONS. RILLS LADING. BAILROAD RECEIPTS. EXCURSION TICKETS, SCHOOL REPORTS, RAILROAD TICKETS, APOTHECARIES LABLES, PORTHCOMING BONDS, SUMMONS', WARRANTS, and all other descriptions of PRINTING, in BOOKS, and all other descriptions of PRINTING, in BLACK, BLUE, GREEN, or RED INK, at the shortest

**Persons from the Country may rely with confidence upon the speedy and neat execution of work ordered.

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WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA PACKET COMPANY.—
NEW ARRANGEMENT.

The favorite steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Harper, has recently been put in complete order, having had added to her former accommodations a spacious saloon and fourteen comfortable staterooms, with entire new bedding and other furniture, and will until the 22d September next, leave Baltimore EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at six instead of four o'clock—thus affording passengers and shippers two hours more in Baltimore, and arriving at Point Lookout and Kinsale at more convenient hours in the morning. Return-ing, the Columbia will leave Riley's wharf, Washington, EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING, at six, and Alexandria at seven o'clock, ealling at all the usual stopping places, going and returning, to land and receive passengers and freight.

All goods received after five o'clock on Sature stored in the Company's warehouse, at the risk of the shippers, and forwarded by the DIAMOND STATE, the following WEDNESDAY, unless convenient for the

agent to send them after that hour, in which event he is instructed to do so, although it is desirable they should be delivered as early in the day as practicable, and all way freight should be ent hefore four o'clock. Since the COLUMBIA has been enlarged, it rarely happens that she cannot take considerable additions to her usual freight. Shippers there-

fore having large lots of guano, pig iron, and other freight, can have them carried by special agreement, on terms mutually advantageous, on applieation to the following agents. CHAS. WORTHINGTON, Baltimore.

WHEAT & BROTHER, Alexandria.

STEAM FERRY BOAT ALICE FOX. THIS BOAT having recently been thoroughly repaired and newly painted, and having been fitted up with comfortable CABIN accommodations, and the wharf on the Maryland side substantially rebuilt, will hereafter run regularly from Blacklock's Wharf until further notice, at the following hours :-

Leave Alexandria at 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 o'clock. Leave Maryland Side at 71, 81, 91, 101, 111, 121, 11, 21, 31, 41, 51, 61, and 71 o'clock. From day light until 7 o'clock, in order to accommodate the market people, the Captain will run the boat to the best advantage.

On Sundays the FOOT BOAT will ply between the two points. But upon any extraordinary occasion the STEAMER will run, as in the case of Punerals, or persons desiring to cross particularly with Horses or Vehicles.

When such is the case, due notice must be given to the Captain on Saturday evening. ROBERT GRIFFIN, Captain. ap 14-eo3t&d6t

NEW PASSENGER & FREIGHT BOAT. The beautiful and commodious steamer GIPSEY, Capt. P. D. Hatton, will ply regularly between Farmington, near Piscataway, Md., and Blacklock's Wharf, Alexandris, Va., at the following hours, viz: Leave Farmington at Sho'clock, A. M., and returning, leave Alexandria at 4 o'clock, P. M. The steamer will stop at the Fort Wharf going

and returning. The GIPSEY is well suited for the accommodation of passengers, having two saloons, comfortably fitted up. At Farmington the subscribers have provided

good comfortable stables, and polite and attentive hostlers, for the accommodation of horses left with them. No pains will be spared to render full satisfac-

tion to the trading and travelling public.
P. D. HATTON, T. G. TOWNSHEND. CHANGE OF HOURS! ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 97H, 1860.

GEORGE PAGE, and THOS. COLLYER. GEORGE PAGE, leaves Alexandria at 47, 8, 10, 12, 21, 4 and 53 o'clock. Leaves Washington at 64, 9, 11, 1, 8, 5 and 64 o'clock. THOMAS COLLYER, leaves Alexandria at 61, 9,

11, 1, 3 and 5 o'clock. Leaves Washington at 8, 10, 12, 2, 4 and 52 6'-Except on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, on which days she will leave Washington at

10, and Alexandria at 101 o'elock, for Mount Ver-S. GEDNEY, Captains. The Steamer JAMES GUY, will re-

on the 21st inst., leaving here at 64, A. M., stopping at all her regular landings, going and returning. NATHANIEL BOUSH, Agent.

VESSELS WANTED FOR VESSELS V SAVANNAH, FREDERICKSBURG.

BOSTON. NEW YORK, and NORWICH, by WM. H. FOWLE & SON, No. 4, South Wharves.

mh 13 VESSELS WANTED-FOR CHARLESTON, SAVANNAH, and ST. JOHN, N. B.

JUST RECEIVED some fine genuine MEERSCHAUM PIPE BOWLS, and

REEDS or CHERRY STEMS, to suit. Also very fine TUBES or SEGAR SMOKERS-the very kind the ladies have been asking after, to make presents to their male friends. And on hand a fine stock of MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, SEGARS, SNUFF, &c. C. P. SHAW, N. E. corner of

King and Fairfax sts. SOFT BLUE WINDSOR PLASTER.—
200 TONS to arrive. For sale by
FOWLE & Co.

ORANGE & ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD.

TWO DAILY TRAINS. O'N AND AFTER WEDNESDAY, April 11th, 1860, two trains will leave Alexandria daily,

for Lynchburg and the Southwest, connecting at Gordonsville with the Trains on the Virginia Central Railroad, for Richmond, Charlottesville, Staunton, &c., and with the Train on the Manassas Gap Railroad, for Woodstock, Mt. Jackson, &c. Through Tickets to RICHMOND, LYNCH-BURG, KNOXVILLE, MEMPHIS, NASH-VILLE, MOBILE, MONTGOMERY, and NEW ORLEANS, at the Railroad Station.

Leave Alexandria at 7.15, A. M., and 7.30, P. M. Lynchburg at 5.50, A. M., and 7.30, P. M. to the public.

day trains only.

J. M. BROADUS, General Ticket Agent. NOTICE .- Freights for the Extension will leave Alexandria every Tuesday morning, and be received at the Depot—and loaded on Union street, every Monday.

Fish will not be carried by the passenger trains.

J. F. LATHAM, Agent of Transportation, Orange and Alex'a. R. R.

ap 23-tf DAILY LINE BETWEEN ALEXANDRIA and WINCHESTER, via LEESBURG,

BERRYVILLE, &c., BY RAILROAD AND FIRST CLASS COACHES. above, on Monday, the 16th instant, by way of the

Alexandria, Londoun and Hampshire Railroad, and Mean's and Fawsett's mail line of Coaches. Leave the Railroad Depot at Alexandria, corner of Water and Oronoco streets, at 10, A. M., arriving at Winehester at 7, P. M. Leave Winchester at 31. A. M., arriving at Alexandria at 21, P. M.

Fare from Alexandria to Leesburg Hamilton..... 2.50 Do. do. Purcellville...... 2.75 do. Snickersville...... 3.00 Do. do. Castleman's Ferry., 3.25 Berryville..... 3.50 Do. WM. H. CARLIN. Conductor. MEANS & FAWSETT.

Freight will be received at the Depot, daily, until 9 o'clock, A. M. jan 10-tf MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD.

DASSENGERS for this Road will leave the Alexandria Station, in the Orange Train, at 7, A. M., daily (Sundays excepted,) arrive at Alexandria at 2, P. M. Through tickets by this route to Middleburg and Winchester. The Trains leave Mount Jackson daily (Sun-

days excepted,) at 7:30, A. M., and arrive at Alexandria at 1:55, P. M. jy 6-tf EDWARD GREEN, Treasurer. NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

ROM BALTIMORE TO CHICAGO in 36 hours, with only two changes of cars. TRAINS leave Calvert Station, Baltimore, daily, (Sundays excepted.) at 7.30, A. M., and 6, P M., for Pittsburg, Cleveland, Chicago, Cincinnati, and St. Louis.

For Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Canandai gua, Rochester, and all parts of Canada, trains leave daily, (Sundays excepted,) at 7.30, A. M. and 3, P. M. Passengers from Washington and South, buy

tickets only to Baltimore, where they can be pro-JOHN T. RIGNEY. cured to all points. Assistant Superintendent. Baltimore, sep 12-tf

FALL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ADAMS' EXPRESS COMPANY INVITE the attention of the public to the facili-1 ties afforded by this Company, for the quick and safe conveyance of Specie, Bank Notes, valuable packages, heavy and bulky freight, &c.

EXPRESSES for the East, to Bultimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Providence, Hartford, to., leave our office daily, at 111 o'clock, A. M. EXPRESSES for the South, to Richmond, Fred ericksburg, Petersburg, Lynchburg, and for points in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and Tennessee, leave daily, at 111, A. M. Our EXPRESSES are always accompanied by careful and trustworthy messengers, and the public can rely upon all business entrusted to us being done with safety, punctuality, and despatch. RATES .- From Baltimore, 37 cents per 100 lbs. from Philadelphia, \$1; from New York, \$1,50.

No packages of goods taken by weight, unless weighing over 200 ths. R. W. FALLS, Agent. jan 20-tf

NEW STOVE AND TIN STORE, No. 14 Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va. A CARD.—ENOCH GRIMES respectfully in-forms his triends and the public generally, that he has associated with him his son JAMES E. GRIMES, and under the firm name of E. GRIMES & SON, we have resumed at the old stand on Fair fax street, the STOVE, AND TIN WARE BUSI-NESS IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, and hope and expect to conduct the same, so as to merit the confidence and patronage of all who may give us a call. We intend to devote our time and attention more especially to out door work, both in town and

country, such as ROOFING, GUTTERING and SPOUTING, And all kinds of Stove and Furnace Work, and Jobs that require skill and experience. All Jobbing and Repairing attended to in person.

Our Stock of STOVES is intended to suit the wants of every body. We are determined to please, both in work done and goods sold. Our expenses or for goods promptly attended to. E. GRIMES & SON.

oct 1-ly

INVITE CITIZENS AND STRANGERS to call at my MANUFACTORY, No. 141 KING STREET, BRIWEEN WASHINGTON AND ST. AS APH STREETS, and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be surpassed in my line of business by any other city. have on hand, and am daily manufacturing, as fine and superior an assortment as can be found in any of the Northern cities. My stock comprises as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HARNESS of all kinds, from the fine quilt work down to the dray, cart, and plough Harness; TRUNKS of every kind, fine Sole Leather, Stee! Spring Iron Frame Ladies' Trunks and Bonnet Boxes, and all other kinds, down to the common Packing Trunks; Saddles Bridles, Martingills, Whips, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and Fancy Robes, Driving Gloves, Horse Covers, Carpet Bags, Valices, &c., &c., of

all kinds. Call and see for yourselves. Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended, I solicit a continuance of the same, and pledge myself to spare no pains to give satisfaction. All goods warranted to be as represented. WM. F. PADGETT.

SPRING SUPPLIES.

TIME subscribers are now in receipt of their of their own importation, direct to this port, per Ship Annie Laurie, from Liverpool.

Glassware, of Virginia manufacture Plaited Castors, in great variety Britannia " "

French China Dinner and Tea Sets " Vases, Mugs, &c. Window Glass, of all sizes Stoneware, Pipes, and Stems

Demijohns, Coal Oil Lamps, &c. To which the attention of dealers is respectfully invited. [3 mo 20] R. H. MILLER, SON & CO. TEGROES WANTED .- We wish to purchass any number of NEGROES, of both sexee, for cash. All letters addressed to us, at this place, will receive prompt attention. Having bought the establishment, lately occupied by Millan & Grigsby, West end Duke street, and having refitted it to make it one of the most healthy and comfortable Depot for NEGROES, we will receive

them on board on the usual terms. PRICE & COOK. aug 30-eotf NEGROES WANTED.—I wish to purchase any number of NEGROES, for which I will well to call on me below. Va.
at West End, Alexandria, Va.
JOSEPH BRUIN. WOOL purchased by je 4 RIDGELEY, HAMPTON & CO. aug 18—dtf

BUSINESS CARDS.

D. CORSE. Banking, Exchange, and Collection Office of CORSE BROTHERS, No. 93 Exchange Block. WE will make Collections on all accessible points in the United States, and hold proceeds subject to Check, or remit promptly to any designated point. We will deal in Exchange, Time Bills, Promis-

vory Notes, Uncurrent Money, Coin, &c. STOCKS and other SECURITIES bought and sold on Commission, and LOANS negotiated on favorable terms. Interest allowed to Depositors. A varied experience of many years in this business, enables us to offer our services with confidence

The connections with Virginia Central J. W. BURKE.

ARTHUR HERBERT.

Banking, Exchange, and Collection Office of BURKE & HERBERT, Corner of Prince and Fairfax streets. WE will make Collections on all accessible

points in the United States, and hold pro-

ceeds subject to Check, or remit promptly to any designated point. We will deal in Erchange, Time Bills, Promis ory Notes, Uncurrent Money, Coin, de. STOCKS and other SECURITIES bought and sold

on Commission. WHOLESALE DEALERS in HUNTON & RIDGELY, TEAS,

TOBACCO, and LIQUORS, 41 KING-STREET. DAVID FUNSTEN, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL practice in the several Courts in the District of Columbia, and in the Circuit Court of Alexandria. OFFICE, No. 30, Louisiana avenue, near the City Hall, Washington city. RESIDENCE, Alexandria, Va.

GREEN'S MANSION HOUSE, CORNER OF CAMERON AND FAIRFAX STS. THIS well-known and POPULAR HOTEL having undergone a THORGUGH RENOVA-TION and REFURNISHING, is now open, with everything complete, for the convenience and accommodation of BOARDERS and TRAVELERS. 20 The Proprietor has secured the services of GEORGE L. STEWART and SAMUEL F. GREGORY, under whose joint management no pains will be spared to sustain the reputation of the HOUSE as a FIRST CLASS HOTEL in JAMES GREEN. every respect.

Alexandria, February 1, 1859-dtf WM. S. PAYNE, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 4, Spears' Wharf, Baltimore, WILL give diligent personal attention to all business committed to his charge, and resbusiness committed to his charge, and respectfully solicits of his friends and the public generally, their consignments of Grain, Flour, Tobacco, &c., and their orders for whatever the

market furnishes. Baltimore, mh 22-1y M. ELDRIDGE & CO., GENERAL COMMINSION MERCHANTS, AND AGENTS FOR BOSTON PACKETS, M. ELDRIDGE, No. 6 South Wharves, F. A. Reed. aug 30-1f Alexandria, Va.

ISAAC PAUL, Formerly of Winchester, Virginia, Forwarding and Commission Merchant, And dealer in ROCERIES, SALT, PLASTER, GUANO, &c., Corner of Union and Queen streets,

jy 19--tf MARSHALL & CO.. ocers, Commission and Forwarding Merchants. At the old stand of Marshall & Ward, No. 11, King-street, Alexandria, Virginia.

On the Railroad, Alexandria, Va.

PENNYBACKER & PERRY BROTHERS. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND CASH DEALERS IN

GROCERIES, SALT, PLASTER, &c. ALEXANDRIA, VA. J. S. Pennybacker,) William Perry, ARNY & SHINN'S BOTTLED MINERAL WATERS AND CIPER

MASSEY, COLLINS & CO. PHILADELPHIA DRAUGHT ALE. BOTTLED PORTER, ALE, AND MEAD. MET CIDER ON DRAUGHT, In quantities to suit purchasers. BRASS BEER-COCKS AND CUBA HONEY,

Constantly on hand, and for sale by LOUIS C. ARNY, 38 N. Water-st., Alexandria. AC Country orders solicited, and promptly

W. W. HERBERT, COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 35 Union St., WILL give his attention to the sale of FLOUR, WHEAT, COUNTRY PRODUCE; to the purchase of Supplies for Country Customers, and all business connected with a GENERAL

COMMISSION BUSINESS. -REFERS TO-Robt. H. Hunton, Fowle & Co.. Burke & Herbert. Drayton G. Meade,

aug 15-dlw&eotf THOMAS S. JAMIESON, MACHINIST and IRON FOUNDER, Corner of Royal and Wilkes streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

S prepared to execute orders for STATIONERY STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, Mill Gearing, Shafting, Pulleys and Hangers, Tobacco Screws, Pumps, Fans, Slide and Hand Lathes, Drill Presses, Wrought or Cast Railing, Columns and Girders, Gas or Water are small and we shall be content with small profits. | Pipe, and Machinery of every description. Supe rior CASTINGS made to order at short notice and ap 1-eoff on reasonable terms.

DENTAL SURGEON, Corner of Washington and King streets, Alexandria, Va. Zer Entrance on Washington street. Office tours from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 4 P. M.

GEORGE SIGGERS. BOOK-BINDER AND PAPER RULER. No. 75 Prince Street, opposite the Gazette Office,

ALEXANDRIA, VA. M USIC, Magazines, and Old Books bound in any style. I also RULE, and make to order, any description of BLANK BOOKS, which I will warrant to be made of the best paper and materials, and bound in the strongest manner. Bank Officers, Bankers, Merchants, Clerks of Courts, Hotel Keepers, Insurance Companies, and all who want Blank Books, are respectfully invited to give me a call.

JEFFERSON TACEY, PAPER-HANGER, UPHOLSTERER, GILDER,

And House Decorator in General. W HILST returning his grateful acknowledge-ments to his numerous friends for their very liberal encouragement during the two years he has been amongst them, assures them that it will be his continued effort to serve them with promptness, and at moderate charges, at his old Stand, No. 149, SPRING SUPPLIES OF EARTHENWARE, NORTH SIDE KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA. inh 20

C. C. BRADLEY, CABINET, CHAIR & SOFA MANUFACTURER, Corner of King & Alfred str., Alexandria, Va. H AS constantly on hand, and offers to the pub-lic, an excellent assertment of Cabinet Ware, Sofas, and Chairs of every variety, and on the lowest terms, which, for durability and finish, cannot be surpassed.

WASHINGTON & CO., Grocery, Liquor, and Commission Merchants, No. 11, UNION STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

DAVY & HARMON, GROCERS-DEALERS IN CORN MEAL, CORN, OATS, BALE HAY, and all kinds of MILL-FEED, corner of Prince and Royal sts., ap 19—d1y THOMAS PERRY. Commission Merchant, No. 5, Januey's Wharf,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

pay liberal prices. Those wishing to sell, will do well to call on me before selling, at my old stand, ATTORNEYATLAW,—Alexandria, Va. Office on Royal street, lately occupied by ap 27-tf A. & C. E. Stuart.

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c.

FRESH DRUGS, &c.—Sulphate of Quinine, Bromide Potash, Cream of Tartar, White Wax, Carbonate of Ammonia, Mexican Mustang Lini- NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMP'Y., LONDON. ment, Hunt's Liniment, Sal Soda, Pulv. Cubebs, Brown's Bronchial Troches, Arnica Liniment, Bay Rum, Price's Glycerine, Castor Oil, Opium, Burnett's Cocoaine, Chloroform, Iodide of Potas-Carbonate of Bismuth, Baker's Bitters, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Wistar's Balsam of Wild herry-just received and for sale by J. R. PIERPOINT.

■ la, Ball's Sarsaparilla, Carter's Spanish Mixture. Sanford's Liver Invigorator, Helmbold's Fluid Extract of Buchu, Brown's Essence Jamaiea Ginger, Baker's Premium Bitters, Cannon's India Vegetable Bitters, do. Montarde's Pain Killer, for sale at

MILBURN & BRO.'S Drug Store, N. E. cor, of King and Wash-sts. STOUGHTON'S BITTERS; Blue Ink; Dally's Carminative; Godfrey's Cordial; Entwisle's Eye Water; Goulard's Extract of Lead; Syrup of Iodide of Iron; Entwisle's Concentrated Essence of Jamaica Ginger; Entwiste's Vermifuge-just manufactured and for sale by JAS. ENTWISLE, Ja.,

Apothecary, 94 King st. PANCY ARTICLES AND PERFUMERY Bazin's Rose Leaf Powder, Extract Vanilla, Shaving Cream, French and German Cologne Wa ter, Mount Vernon Cologne, Turkish do., White's Dentine, Rose Tooth Paste, English Tooth Brush es, Hair Brushes and Dressing Combs, received and for sale by J. WILLIAM BOWLING, ap 17 62, corner of Fairfax and Prince sts.

MPRO /ED KING PHILIP CORN- The ears L being of unusual length, as long as the best Dutton; the kernels being large and deep, eight rows on the Cob. It ripens perfectly in 100 days, and produces nearly double as much as the ordinary King Philip, for sale by ap 18 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

ORRIS TOOTH WASH, for cleaning and preserving the teeth and gums, and purifying the breath, prepared from vegetable substances. and is highly approved, and recommended by Physicians and Dentists of the first respectability LEADBEATER & CO., 4th mo 20 Nos. 5 & 7, South Fairfax street.

K EROSENE OIL, of various brands, part very superior; West's No. 1 Ethercal Oil, pure Sperm Oil, Solar do., Tanner's do., Neatsfoot do.: diso, Kerosene Lamps, Wick. &c., for sale by LEADBEATER & CO., Nos. 5 and 7, South Fairfax-st.

K EROSENE LAMPS AND SHADES, Also Extra Burners and Chimules for altering Lamps. Just received and for sale by WM. A. HART, No. 112 King-st., One door east of the Marshall House.

ap 26 Sign of the Golden Mortar. K EROSENE, Ethereal Oil, and 95 per cent Alcohol, just received and for sale by WM. A. HART, No. 112 King-st. One door east of the Marshall House. Sign of the Golden Mortar. ap 26

YOAL OIL -manufactured at the Paint Creek Works, Kanawha River, nearly as colorless as water, and free from unpleasant odor, which trade or by retail. [ap 20] H. COOK & CO.

size cans. [ap 25] PEEL & STEVENS. HOLLOWAY'S WORM CONFECTIONS, the most pleasant and effectual Worm Medicine now in use, just re-cived, and for sale by

ap 21 J. R. PIERPOINT, No. 172, King-st. DARRAFFINE LUBRICATING OIL for all H. COOK & CO. ise for the purpose. ap 25

ARD OIL.-Winter strained and warranted I pure, received and for sale by H. COOK & CO. MACHINERY OILS, of various kinds and grades, constantly on hand and for sale by DIRECTORS:

PEEL & STEVENS. ap 25 T. HELMBOLD'S highly Concentrated | T. B. Robertson, 11. Fluid Extract of Buchu, just received, and for sale by J. R. PIERPOINT, Christopher Neale, No. 172, King-street. ap 21

YONGRESS WATER-A full supply just re- W. M. Turner, ceived in pint and quart bottles, for sale by A. R. Blakey, LEADBEATER & CO.,

received and for sale by
J. R. PIERPOINT, M RS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, to give immediate relief to children cutting Fire, generally, in Town and Country as heretofore,

their teeth, &c., for sale by
H. COOK & CO. THENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP, for all dis-O cases of the respiratory organs and incipient

consumption, for sale by H. COOK & CO. COAL OIL of superior quality, for sale by
J. WILLIAM BOWLING. 62 corner Fairfax and Prince-sts. DURE LINSEED OIL .- A large lot just re-

Leeived from the Crushers, and for sale by PEEL & STEVENS. DURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC, of best I brands, received and for sale by PEEL & STEVENS.

HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c.

JOHN T. EVANS, DESPECTFULLY informs his customers and It the public generally that he has received a rge and elegant assortment of BONNETS, RIB-BONS, FLOWERS, RUCHES, &c. I am now making up a large variety of Crape and Silk BONNETS, of the last FRENCH STYLES. Also a new style of MOURNING BONNETS. ogether with a full assortment of MILLINERY GOODS, that cannot be surpassed for style and

Gentlemen's and Boys' HATS, of all kinds and ap 7—tf FALL STOCK OF HATS AND CAPS .-- JOHN ARNOLD has just received a large assortment of HATS AND CAPS adapted to meet the wants of a choice custom. Gentlemen are solicited to examine a recent im English White Granite Ewers and Basins, and

portation of FRENCH FELT TATS, selected by special order-together with waich may be found No. 1 article of SILK AND CASSIMERE HATS, gotten up with a strict observance to fashon and good taste, Also, Childrens FANCY HATS AND CAPS, all of which will be sold cheap for cash. Extensive stock-best terms-lowest price, at Phoenix Hall Hat and Cap Store,

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT .-- The large three story BRICK DWELLING, on Fairfax street, (between King and Prince streets,) at present occupied by Miss O'Neill as a boarding house. Pos. session may be had on the 1st of May. Address JOHN J. LLOYD, Mount Ida, near Alexandria, ean be had a or apply to Mr. E. J. LLOYD, corner of Washngton and Queen streets. ap 17-dtf FOR RENT.—The commodious BRICK FIRE PROOF WAREHOUSE, No 23,

North Union street, adjoining the Warehouse of S. Hartley & Son and Z. English & Bro. Apply to D. B. SMITH. JAMES P. SMITH. mh 3-tf

and English ENGRAVINGS, of the most celebrated masters. Fancy PICTURE FRAMES, for sale low.

HEAD OFFICE FOR THE UNITED STATES, No. 37 South Third Street, Philadelphia.

FIRE INSURANCE NOTICES, &c.

ALEXANDRIA AGENCY

....\$6,298,800 00 Paid up Capital and Surplus 2,194,111 02

SECURITY TO POLICY HOLDERS. THIS old and responsible Company insures against loss or damage by Fire, almost every ap 23 172, S. E. cor. King and Wash. sts. description of property, and offers to Merchants DOPULAR MEDICINES,-Ayers' Sarsaparil- and others desiring insurance, the security of an actual Capital of \$6,298,800, for the whole of which, and for any limbilities beyond, the Sha cholders are INDIVIDUALLY RESPONSIBLE, even to the extent of their entire fortunes. The Shareholders number about one thousand, and as a large portion of these are persons of great wealth, the most ample provisions exist for meeting every possible claim against the Company.

SUBJECT TO THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES. In appointing an Agent for the United States, the Company has empowered him "to appear to and accept any action or legal proceedings instituted against or by said Company, in the same manner as if the Company were a Corporation or Company established by the laws of the United States, or any of the several States." PROVISION FOR PAYMENT OF LOSSES IN

THE UNITED STATES. A SPECIAL PERMANENT FUND HAS BEEN PLACED AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE AGENT AT PHILADELPHIA, O ENABLE HIM TO ADJUST AND PROMPTLY PAY ALL Losses, WITHOUT REFERENCE TO LONDON. LIBERAL TO THE INSURED.

The uniform course of the Company has alwaycen a liberal one towards Policy Holders." No just claim has ever been disputed, and prompt payment of losses is a standing rule. During the past year, losses exceeding \$525,000 were paid. Losses paid as soon as the amount is ascertained. ANNUAL INCOME.

The Income of the Company is now about \$1,-900,000, increasing gradually each year, showing that it has the confidence of the different communities in which business is done. RATE OF PREMIUM. The Rate of Premium will be moderate, and in all cases will be based upon the character of the

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Witt Clinton and others on board, started-

at precisely ten o'clock, the cannon at Buffa-

lo gave the signal. So soon as the second

heard it, the signal was repeated-then the

third, and so from gun to gun the wel-

come news was forwarded to New York .-

The last-the city cannon-fired at precise-

ly 11.20 a. m .- an hour and twenty minutes

after the first at Buffalo, as rapidly as each

could sound in succession. Since we have recalled this incident, we may mention that the governor's beat on its arrival at Albany, was taken in charge and accompanied by a throng of gaily decked-out steamboats, and the whole cortege proceeded down the river, arriving at New York some four days from the time of the deparure. Thence, attended by a crowd of steamers, the whole went down the Bay to Sandy Wild Sports of the West, and Life on the Fron- Hook, where Clinton proceeded to throw cold water on the whole proceedings, by pouring a bottle of Lake water into the ocean-thus formally wedding Ontario to the Atlantic .-Hartford Times.

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Among the illegitimate births in Massachusetts in 1858, there was one case of especial notice, in consequence of the extreme youth of the mother. Elizabeth D., was born of native parents in the almshouse at of "The Oakland Stories," by Geo. B. Taylor, of Taunton, May 5, 1847, and at the same place she became the mother of a healthy boy on the first day of February, 1858, being only ten years, eight months and seven days old. This appears to be a rare case in this climate, but it is well attested by the physician of the almshouse as Taunton, who officiated personally both at the birth of the young mother and that of the child. This boy weighed eight pounds at his birth, and at the age of eighteen months weighed 371 pounds and was in the enjoyment of robust health.

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